

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the
District of South Carolina

Ernest Battle,

Petitioner

v.

Edsel T. Taylor, Warden, MacDougall Corr. Inst.,

Respondent

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Civil Action No. 1:15-cv-02704-JFA

JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL ACTION

The court has ordered that (*check one*):

☐ the petitioner (*name*) _____ recover from the respondent (*name*) _____ the amount of _____ dollars (\$___), which includes prejudgment interest at the rate of ____ %, plus postjudgment interest at the rate of ____ %, along with costs.

☐ the petitioner recover nothing, the action be dismissed on the merits, and the respondent (*name*) _____ recover costs from the petitioner (*name*) _____.

☒ The petitioner, Ernest Battle, shall take nothing of the respondent, Edsel T. Taylor, and this action is dismissed without prejudice.

This action was (*check one*):

☐ tried by a jury, the Honorable _____ presiding, and the jury has rendered a verdict.

☐ tried by the Honorable _____ presiding, without a jury and the above decision was reached.

☒ decided by the Honorable Joseph F. Anderson, Jr., United States District Judge, presiding, adopting the Report and Recommendation set forth by the Honorable Shiva V. Hodges, United States Magistrate Judge, which recommended dismissing the petition without prejudice.

Date: September 18, 2015

ROBIN L. BLUME, CLERK OF COURT

s/M. Walker

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk